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Yi-You Huang et al. ) Examiner: Yang, Nelson C.  
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**FOR PROTEIN MICROARRAY** ) Customer Number 28960

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Sir:

Attached is a amendment and response to the office action mailed on December 2, 2005, for filing with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-1275. **An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

Respectfully submitted,  
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In response to the Office Action of December 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.